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**From:** Ruddick, Randall  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 13, 2016 2:19 PM  
**To:** Somers, Elaine  
**Subject:** RE: Noise expertise

Sorry to be the bearer of bad news about not having noise pollution expertise. I assume you have already visited this page, but assumptions are often wrong so:

<https://www.epa.gov/clean-air-act-overview/title-iv-noise-pollution>

Of particular interest to you, I believe, would be ONAC.

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**From:** Somers, Elaine  
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**Cc:** Pepple, Karl <Pepple.Karl@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** Noise expertise

Hello, Randall,

Karl tells me you came to EPA from Ecology and that you have expertise in noise? I am overjoyed to hear this, as I have a project involving noise – the Naval Air Station Whidbey Island Draft EIS for EA-18G “Growler” Airfield Operations. Duedate for comment is January 25, 2017. Would you be willing to be an associate reviewer for this NEPA/309 review? I will be in office again on Monday (Dec 12), but meanwhile feel free to call me on my cell to discuss. This project is of high concern to the affected public – and to the Navy. Would so appreciate your help! Looking forward to meeting you next week,  
Elaine

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